## Patent Application Transmittal

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entitled: QUICK-MOUNTABLE NUT

<u>X</u>	New Application Continuing Application			
	_ Continuation _ Divisional _ Continuation-in-Part (CIP) of prior application serial no, filed			
	[Note: If priority under 35 U.S.C. 120 involves a series of respectively copending applications, then in this amenda identify each and its relationship to its immediate predecessor.]			
	The prior application is assigned of record to			
_	This is an application of a small entity under 37 CFR 1.9(f) and the amounts shown in parentheses below have been employed in calculating the fee:			

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i ne to	llowing are enclosed:				
<u>X</u> <u>X</u> <u>X</u>	Specification ( 18 pages) & Abstract  2 Sheet(s) of Drawings  9 Claim(s) (including 1 independent claim(s))  This application contains a multiple dependent claim  Information Diclosure Statement, PTO-1449 and references;				
<u>X</u>	This filing fee has been calculated on the basis of the claims as amended by any enclosed preliminary amendment as follows:				
_	Basic Fee, \$770.00 (\$385.00)       \$770.00         Number of Claims in excess of 20 at \$18.00 (\$9.00) each:       00.00         Number of Independent Claims in excess of 3 at \$86.00 (\$43.00) each:       00.00         Multiple Dependent Claim Fee at \$290.00 (\$145.00)       00.00         Assignment Recording Fee \$40.00       00.00         Total Filing Fee       \$770.00				
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_	Incorporation by Reference (for continuation or divisional application) The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.				

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_	A Preliminary Amendment is enclosed. (Claims added by this amendment have been properly numbered consecutively beginning with the number next following the highest numbered original claim in the prior application.)					
_	Cancel in this application original claims of the prior application before calculating the filing fee. (At least one original independent claim must be retained for filing purposes.)					
X	New formal drawings are enclosed.					
<u>X</u>	Certified copy of each foreign priority application on which the claim for priority under 35 U.S.C. 119 is based was filed in prior U.S. application serial no., filed. A list of said foreign priority application(s) is (are) provided below. Acknowledgement thereof is requested.					
	Application Nos. 102 56 862.6	<u>Filed</u> 12/05/02	<u>In</u> Germany			

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Respectfully submitted,

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